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In re Application of

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For: **EMBEDDABLE MOUNTING DEVICE  
AND METHOD**

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT  
FOR REISSUE APPLICATION**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Box Reissue  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified REISSUE application as follows.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please add new claims 18-27 as follows:

A' Sub B6 18. An embeddable mounting device comprising:  
a first rectangular metal plate member having a first inner surface, a first outer  
surface, a first length, a first width, and a first thickness;  
a second rectangular metal plate member having a second inner surface, a second  
outer surface, a second length of a measurement equal to said first length, a second width of  
a measurement equal to said first width, and a second thickness; and

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